

WOULD KEEP ITS DUES WITHIN REACH OF ALL

Young Woman's Christian Association Announces "Finance Week." SEEKS SUPPORT OF PUBLIC

Only by Annual Contributions Can Work Be Carried On as Outlined. What Has Already Been Accomplished—Building Free From Debt.

Shall the Young Woman's Christian Association be operated on the lines already laid down of service to the women of the community, or shall it become a high-priced club for the exclusive use of the well-to-do? That is the problem which the board of directors proposes to submit to the people of Richmond, during what is to be known as finance week, beginning on Tuesday. The object is to raise a fund of \$5,000 to supplement the membership fees, and so continue the institution without raising the cost to individual members.

With a businesslike directness which would shame many an institution conducted entirely by men, the board has drawn up a budget of operating expenses. Including salaries and maintenance, it will cost for the year to operate the central building on Fifth Street near Main, and the boarding department on West Cary Street, about \$12,350. Dues, board and receipts from other sources will bring the income to \$37,350. The amount to be raised for general maintenance of the building and for the members of the board and a committee of workers will receive subscriptions.

MUST KEEP DUES WITHIN REACH OF ALL

"Of course, we could raise the dues and make the institution self-supporting," explained Miss Katherine H. Hawn, president of the association, yesterday. "We could make it a club for well-to-do women who could afford to pay a large sum. But we believe that would be getting away from the objects of the association. It would not be in keeping with the spirit in which subscriptions were given. The building and, or with the objects for which the members of the board give their time and effort." Since its building campaign, three years ago, the Young Woman's Christian Association has not been before the public of Richmond with any appeal for funds. At that time funds were subscribed for the main building on Fifth Street, a permanent and fireproof structure, for the boarding home. Both buildings have been completed and paid for, and the institution is now free from debt. This was not the case until the past week, and it was the object of the finance week that the institution would have to ask the public to assume a building debt of \$5,000, as well as the maintenance fund, but at a meeting of the board last Friday it was announced that all debt on the building had been paid.

NEW BUILDING HAS DEMONSTRATED ITS USEFULNESS

The new building was opened last spring, and in the limited time has fully demonstrated its usefulness to the community. The appeal for a maintenance fund, the board proposes, will be an annual one, in order that the dues may be placed at a figure within reach of all workers in Richmond, however limited their means. As an "investment in girls," the institution is designed especially to reach the 8,000 women employed in factories, the 2,000 in stores and the 4,000 in offices, besides many students in the city. The building has been placed at the low rate of \$1 per year, the board has recently decided to have free gymnasium classes three times a week.

Reports show that a total of 10,407 women had a share in the activities of the Young Woman's Christian Association during the past year, the enrollment having been 320 in gymnasium classes, 151 in Bible study, 213 who secured employment, 119 guests at the boarding home, 307 transient guests, 28 who enjoyed the outing centre, 60 who used the rest room, 1301 on Main Street daily, 947 who were assisted by the travelers' aid, 4,429 who attended factory meetings and Sunday evenings, 2,747 who attended parties and entertainments, 139 who served on committees or as volunteer workers. While the gymnasium, swimming pool and classes are membership privileges, the building is open to all, irrespective of class or creed. During the past summer there were 5,469 cards for use of the swimming pool, issued to 1,175 individuals, 641 of whom took lessons in swimming.

The workers who are to take part in "Finance Week" will meet at the central building to-morrow at 11 o'clock for a final conference.

CASH CONTRIBUTION

Governor Stuart Expects to Give Personal Attention to Relief Work.

A cash contribution to the Belgian Relief Fund was received at the office of Governor Stuart yesterday. It came in a letter addressed to the Governor commending the movement. The donor did not desire his name to be known.

Governor Stuart will devote some time to the Belgian relief plans that have been formulated this week. He is expected to leave the city tomorrow with a multiplicity of affairs of official and executive nature, which prevented him from giving a great deal of time and thought to the movement, which he evinces a very keen interest.

DANDRUFF SURELY DESTROYS THE HAIR

Makes It Dull, Brittle, Lifeless, and Causes It To Fall Out.

Girls—if you want plenty of thick, beautiful, glossy, silky hair, do by all means get rid of dandruff for it will starve your hair and ruin it if you don't.

It doesn't do much good to try to brush or wash it out. The only sure way to get rid of dandruff is to dissolve it, then you destroy it entirely. To do this, get about four ounces of ordinary liquid arvon; apply it at night when retiring; use enough to moisten the scalp and rub it in gently with the finger tips.

By morning, most, if not all, of your dandruff will be gone, and three or four more applications will completely dissolve and entirely destroy, every single grain and trace of it.

You will find, too, that all itching and digging of the scalp will stop, and your hair will be silky, fluffy, lustrous, soft, and look and feel a hundred times better than it did. Liquid arvon can be found at any drug store. It is inexpensive and four ounces is all you will need, no matter how much dandruff you have. This simple remedy never fails.—Adv.

RELIEF COMMISSION MEETS HERE TO-MORROW

A. D. Brockett, of Alexandria, Named for Eighth District by Governor.

BOYKIN OPENS HEADQUARTERS

Great Concert at City Auditorium Is Projected to Aid in Raising Funds for Provisioning Relief Ship From Virginia.

Virginia's campaign for the relief of destitute and starving Belgians will be officially started at noon to-morrow, when Colonel H. M. Boykin, chairman of the relief committee appointed to take charge of the work by Governor Stuart, will meet the ten district managers, who will supervise the work in the ten congressional districts of the State, and complete plans for the raising of money and supplies. The meeting will be held in the Jefferson Hotel, and will be presided over by Colonel Boykin.

It was discovered yesterday that the name of A. D. Brockett, of Alexandria, had been inadvertently omitted from the list of district managers for the campaign, and Governor Stuart at once ordered that he should be included as the manager from the Eighth Congressional District. He, with the other nine State representatives, will attend the meeting to-morrow and assist Colonel Boykin in perfecting the details of an organization which is to raise at least \$100,000 as this State's fund for the aid of the war sufferers in the little country which thus far has borne the brunt of Europe's conflict.

WILL OPEN HEADQUARTERS FOR RECEIPT OF DONATIONS

Following the meeting at the Jefferson Hotel, Colonel Boykin's Richmond headquarters will be formally opened at 1104 East Broad Street for the receipt of money, provisions and clothing which will compose the cargo of the Virginia State relief ship. It was said last night that an adequate office force would be employed to receive the donations, and that this force would be increased as the press of the work demanded.

When Governor Stuart first issued his proclamation calling on the people of the State to assist in making Virginia's ship of succor one of the most important undertakings of the kind since the war, it was said that the vessel's cargo would be limited to provisions. However, Colonel Boykin and Belgian Consul Frederick E. Nolting were yesterday in conference on the matter, and it was decided that clothing was also greatly needed by the war victims, and that it would be practicable to include such articles in the cargo. All money turned in at relief headquarters will be sent to Belgium within the next two or three weeks on a specially chartered ship, which is to sail from Norfolk under the Star flag.

STRONG SENTIMENT BACK OF RELIEF WORK

A great State-wide sentiment in favor of perfecting the relief work which Governor Stuart started has already been evinced, and corporations, business firms and individuals are rallying to the assistance of those in charge of the work in a manner which seems to indicate that the undertaking will be a success. Railways throughout the State have agreed to carry the shipments of provisions for the ship to Norfolk without charge. The Remington Typewriter Company yesterday offered the loan of two machines to the headquarters here. The Baughman Stationery Company came forward with the gift of 1,000 letter-heads and envelopes, while the Chesapeake and Potomac Telephone Company offered to install telephones in the headquarters without cost. Already a sum approximating \$2,000 has been subscribed in this city, and yesterday's mail brought Colonel Boykin letters from persons in many sections of the State asking for instructions as to the shipments of donations and the character of gifts desired.

GREAT CONCERT TO SWELL RELIEF FUND

Other announcements of interest were to the effect that two musicals and a Belgian Tag Day by a Belgian band were arranged for in an effort to swell the fund.

Girls! HAVE BEAUTIFUL, LUSTROUS, FLUFFY HAIR—25 CENT DANDERINE

No more dandruff or falling hair—A real surprise awaits you.

To be possessed of a head of heavy, beautiful hair: soft, lustrous, fluffy, wavy and free from dandruff is merely a matter of using a little Danderine.

It is easy and inexpensive to have nice, soft hair and lots of it. Just get a 25 cent bottle of Knowlton's Danderine now—all drug stores recommend it—apply a little as directed and within ten minutes there will be an appearance of abundance; freshness, softness and an incomparable gloss and lustre.

LATEST MODEL FURS



Splendid Assortment
Muff and Neck Pieces, Fur Sets and Coats
Master Workmanship.
Most Attractive Designs.
Richest Pelts--Lowest Prices
Remodeling at Moderate Prices a Specialty.

HARRY PINCHEFSKY, FURRIER,
Arcade Building, Foushee Street, Bet. Broad and Grace.

EDUCATORS OF STATE WILL ASSEMBLE HERE

Ninth Annual Conference Expected to Be Largest in History of Organization.

MEETS IN FOUR SECTIONS

Several Attractive Entertainment Features Are Provided—Fully 2,500 School People Expected to Be Here Thanksgiving Week.

Plans for the opening of the ninth annual Virginia Educational Conference in Richmond, Tuesday, November 24, are practically complete. Superintendent Arthur D. Wright, of Henrico County, who is secretary of the conference executive committee, stated last night that the approaching conference is likely to be one of the largest educational gatherings ever assembled in Virginia.

The conference is composed of four component parts, the largest of which is the State Teachers' Association, of which President E. H. Russell, of the Fredericksburg State Normal School, is the president, and Edgar Woolfolk, of Richmond, secretary. It is expected that 1,500 members of this organization will register in Richmond during the conference. The School Trustees' Association will bring 350 of its members here, and its deliberations will be presided over by N. E. Clement, of Chatham, while W. M. McGehee, of Keyville, is secretary.

Mrs. B. E. Munford, of Richmond, president of the Co-Operative Education Association, expects fully 400 members of the various school improvement leagues of Virginia to come to Richmond to compare notes and plan for their winter's work. J. H. Blinford, secretary of the organization, reports

an unusually large number of new leaguers organized this fall, and their new enthusiasm is expected to result in an unusually large attendance of their members.

SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENTS ALL EXPECT TO ATTEND

The one organization composing part of the conference which expects almost 100 per cent of attendance is the Association of Division School Superintendents, of which Superintendent E. C. Glass, of Lynchburg, is president, and Superintendent Arthur D. Wright, of Henrico County, is secretary. These officials are called to attend the conference by the State superintendent, and they usually have an attendance of not less than 100 of their total of 113.

The officers of the above named organizations, with State Superintendent of Public Instruction R. C. Stearnes and E. R. Chesterman, secretary of the State Board of Education, comprise the conference executive committee. N. E. Clement is secretary of this committee, and Arthur D. Wright, chairman, while the last named is chairman of the local committee of arrangements.

Arrangements for registering the visitors and providing boarding places is in the hands of a local committee, consisting of J. T. Pentress, chairman; James C. Harwood and W. M. Adams.

WILL MEET AT JOHN MARSHALL HIGH SCHOOL

The session of the conference will be held in the John Marshall High School as far as possible, but for a number of the meetings use will have to be made of the auditoriums of the Mechanics' Institute, Kaffner School, Administration Building and William F. Fox School. In addition to the four main organizations there are some twenty subdivisions to the State Teachers' Association, and several affiliated organizations that meet at the time of the conference, prominent among which is the Virginia Branch of the American School Peace League.

Sessions of the conference will open on Tuesday evening, November 24, with a general meeting under the auspices of the superintendents and trustees organizations, and from that time to the closing meeting on Friday evening, meetings and conferences will follow on each other thick and fast.

Business will have to give way to

pleasure on several occasions for an abundance of entertainment has been provided. The Elementary Teachers' Association of Richmond, will tender to the visitors a musicale and reception at the Jefferson Hotel on Wednesday evening from 8:15 to 11, while Friday afternoon, through the courtesy of the Retail Merchants' Association, a complimentary matinee will be given at the Lucille La Verne Empire Theatre.

On Wednesday at noon the visiting superintendents will be tendered a luncheon at the Wm. F. Fox School, through the courtesy of Superintendent J. A. C. Candler and the Richmond School Board, while Thanksgiving afternoon will be left open for each individual to go to the hospital for treatment as his personal tastes will dictate.

The programs for the several meet-

ings will be announced within a few days, and it is confidently believed that the abundance of attractive features, in the way of entertainment and business, will result in a large increase in attendance over the mark of 2,200 set at Lynchburg last year.

Woman Severely Burned.

Martha Nash, colored, was severely burned about the back, shoulders and arms in her home, 2411 Carrington Street yesterday afternoon and her condition is regarded as serious. Ambulance Surgeon Gorman was unable to learn how the woman was burned as she refused to tell and also refused to go to the hospital for treatment. She was treated at her home and left.

CALOMEL WHEN BILIOUS? NO! STOP! ACTS LIKE DYNAMITE ON LIVER

I guarantee "Dodson's Liver Tone" will give you the best Liver and Bowel cleansing you ever had.

Stop using calomel! It makes you sick. Don't lose a day's work. If you feel lazy, sluggish, bilious or constipated, listen to me! Calomel is mercury or quicksilver, which causes necrosis of the bones. Calomel, when it comes into contact with your bile, crashes into it, breaks it apart, and then you feel that awful nausea and cramping. If you are "all knocked out," if your liver is torpid and bowels constipated, or you have headache, dizziness, coated tongue, if breathe is bad or stomach sour, just try a spoonful of harmless Dodson's Liver Tone.

Here's my guarantee—Go to any drug store and get a 50-cent bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone. Take a spoonful to-night, and if it doesn't straighten you right up and make you feel fine and vigorous by morning, I want you to go back to the store and get your money. Dodson's Liver Tone is a guaranteed liver medicine; entirely vegetable, therefore it cannot sallow or make you sick.

I guarantee that one spoonful of Dodson's Liver Tone will put your sluggish liver to work and clean your bowels of that sour bile and constipated waste which is clogging your system and making you feel miserable. I guarantee that a bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone will keep your entire family feeling fine for months. Give it to your children. It is harmless; doesn't gripe and they like its pleasant taste.—Advertisement.

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317 E. BROAD ST.

Monday Special
500 All-Wool Serge Skirts, accordion plaited bottom; regular price \$2.95.
Special Monday, \$1.95

500 New Coats at \$10

Continued warm weather has slowed up business—manufacturers have large surplus stocks. We acquired these 500 Coats at about cost—they are worth up to \$20—all new, stylish and desirable—on sale Monday at about one-half price.



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New Dresses of Velvet and Velvet-Satin Combined

Seldom are you offered the very newest and most desired styles at reduced prices, but Monday you can choose from a limited number of \$15 to \$20 All-Velvet and Velvet-Satin Combination Frocks at about one-half price. There are correct styles for all occasions, and every Dress is brand-new.

\$12.75

Fur-Trimmed Suits

Several hundred new Fur-Trimmed Suits have just arrived and been added to our assortments at.....

\$12.95

These recent arrivals make our showing at this popular price more complete than ever before. They are mainly Short Coat effects, with all colors represented, and the trimmings embrace pretty Fitch-Opossum and Skunk-Opossum effects, as well as Silk Velvet, Plush and Broadtail garnishings.

\$2 Velvet Jumpers, \$1.00
Just one hundred of these popular Overblouses, which came to us at a special price through a fortunate trade turn, offered Monday at.....

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"It's an ill wind that blows nobody good"—a truth that is demonstrated this season. We are all hoping for better conditions of trade, but as things are now your money will buy more value than ever before in our memory.

These splendid Coats were secured at maker's cost—spot cash was the argument we used. They are offered to you on the same basis—better come Monday, even though mild weather persists. Cold blasts are about due, and when the thermometer goes down, prices on everything go up.

Every desired fall and winter fashion is represented—College styles, new flare effects, belted back, Directoire and military models—appropriate styles for every occasion, both dress and informal.

Materials are Matte lamb, Ural lamb, zibeline, Hindoo lynx, chinchilla, fancy plaids, rough weaves, chevrons and novelty mixtures—values up to \$20—offered Monday at

\$10

Splendid Silk Dresses

Take unrestricted choice from 300 brand new Dresses of Crepe de Chine, Crepe Meteor, Charmeuse, Satin and Silk Poplin—navy, Copenhagen, wistaria, green, brown, black and white—values \$12.50, \$15, \$17.50 and \$20, at.....

\$7.95

All favorite fashions are represented, and reduction is made possible by our having secured these Dresses at less than cost.

